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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: HENCO et al.

Serial No.: 08/157,195

Group Art Unit: 1807

Filed: December 8, 1993

Examiner: P. Tran

For: PROCESS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF IN VITRO AMPLIFIED  
NUCLEIC ACIDS

**TRANSMITTAL**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Notice of Appeal and a Petition For Extension of Time in the above captioned application.

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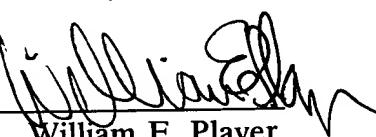
A check in the amount of \$850.00 is attached for: Notice of Appeal Fee and Petition for Third-Month Period.

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If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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